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Whitehall, April 1.

THe following Addreſs was Preſented to His Majeſty by *Richard Verney* Eſq; (upon whom His Majeſty was pleaſed to Confer the Honor of Knighthood) and ſeveral other of the principal Gentlemen of the County of *Warwick*, being Introduced by the Right Honorable the Earl of *Sunderland*, Lord-Lieutenant of that County.

To the Kings moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of your moſt Loyal and Obedient Subjects, of the Grand Inqueſt for your Majeſties County of *Warwick*, at the Aſſizes there held on the 23d of *March*, in the Firſt Year of your Majeſties Reign.

GRief and Tears though a Duty to the Sacred Aſhes of our late Dread Soveraign are too mean and tranſcient a Tribute to that invaluable loſs.

That Grace of God which hath placed his Scepter in your hands, hath taught your Subjects the beſt way to Teſtifie our ſorrows is by a ſteady Obedience to you, Sir, our Soveraign Liege Lord, his undoubted Heir and Succeſſor, according to the Rights of that Hereditary Monarchy, which hath ever been in England, *ſince our Anceſtors were civilized by Government.*

Permit us therefore, Great Sir, to proſtrate our ſelves at your Sacred Feet, acknowledging a full acquieſcence in your Gracious promiſes, not doubting but that the Church of England *ſhall flouriſh in all her Legal Priviledges and Eſtabliſhments, and that your Crown ſhall enjoy all that Fame and Power, both at home and abroad, which it ever had in the beſt days of your moſt Renowned Anceſtors.*

This Sir you being our Monarch is our Belief and Hope, We therefore with faithful Hearts, chearfully offer the willing Sacrifice of our Lives and Fortunes, to ſerve your Majeſty, with a moſt entire Obedience and exact Fidelity.

We deſire the concurrence of the Honorable Bench, and ſuch of the Nobility and Gentry as are preſent at the ſaid Aſſizes.

Whitehall, April 1. There have been likewiſe preſented to His Majeſty very Loyal Addreſſes, From the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Deputy Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and Inhabitants of the County of *Berks*. From the two Grand Juries for the County of *Suffolke* at the Aſſizes holden at *Ipſwich* the 18 of *March* 1684. From the Grand Jury for the County of *Kent* at the Aſſizes holden at *Rocheſter* the 24 of *March* 1684. From the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgeſſes of the Corporation of *Macclesfield* in the County of *Cheſter*, From the Bailiff and Burghers of the Borough of *Knaesbrough* in *Yorkſhire*; And from the Mayor, Juſtices of Peace, and Burgeſſes of the Town of *Tenby* in the County of *Pembroke*, which His Majeſty received very Graciouſly.

Venice, March 17. The 13 inſtant a Veſſel arrived here from the *Levant*, by which we had an account that the Turks make great Preparations for the Campagne; That the Grand Signior had ſent Orders to the Dey of *Tripoli* to fit out a certain number of Men of War to joyn the Turkiſh Fleet; And that the *Caimacam* had cauſed ſeveral Merchant Ships, that were at *Conſtantinople* to be ſtopt, intending to employ them for the tranſporting the Troops from *Aſia* to *Theſſalonique*. We have advice that General *Moroſini* is gone from *Preveſa* to *Santa Maura* to viſit that Fortreſs, and to haſten the new Fortifications that are making there. Veſſels are providing to tranſport ſeveral Companies of Dragoons, and 500 Foot raiſed in *Germany* to *Dalmatia*. The Republick hath made a Treaty with the Elector of *Saxony* for 3000 men, which it's hoped will be here by the beginning of *May*. His Electoral Highneſs parted from hence this Week in his return home.

Genoua, March 24. The Doge and the four Senators begun their Journey the 21ſt inſtant for *France*; They will paſs through *Veltri*, *Mazone*, *Aqui*, and *Carignan*, without entring into the great Towns, to avoid Ceremony; The Eldeſt Senator is to ſupply the place of the Doge during his abſence. This Week Sailed from hence the *Fly* for *Naples*; and the *Vine* for the *Riviera*. The *London Merchant*, the *Britton*, and the *Daniel*, are arrived in this Port.

Warſaw, March 13. The Dyet hath not yet made choice of their Mareſchal or Speaker, the Deputies of *Lithuania* inſiſting to have it firſt declared that the two next Dyets ſhall be held at *Grodno* which the Nobility of *Poland* are unwilling to agree to; ſo that their time has been hitherto ſpent very fruitleſly. We have advice that the Turks and Tartars are preparing to bring a great Army into the Field.

Vienna, March 20. The Gariſon of *Newheuſel*, as we underſtand by the Priſoners, lately taken by Colonel *Heuſler*, are notwithſtanding the ſeveral ſupplies of Proviſions they have received this Winter, in great want; which the Turks are ſo ſenſible of, that they are drawing what Troops they can together, to relieve the place. At the ſame time all imaginable care is taken on this ſide to fruſtrate their deſign. The Preparations for the Campagne advance very ſucceſsfully; The general Rendezvous of the Emperor's Troops and thoſe of the Empire is appointed to be on the 27th of *May*. The Count *de Staremberg* Governor of this City and Mareſchal *de Camp* General will part from hence the beginning of the next month for *Croatia* to command the Emperor's Forces there, in the place of Count *Leſlie*, who is to command the Imperial Infantry under the Duke of *Lorrain*. The Ingenier that came from *Flanders* made the 16th Inſtant a ſecond tryal, in the preſence of the Emperor, of his Bombs and Carcaſſes of a new Invention, with which his Imperial Majeſty was very well ſatisfied. The Letters from *Hungary* tell us, that the Turks have prepared a Convoy of 1200 Wagons laden with Ammunition and Proviſions for *Newheuſel*; and that they have drawn together 20000 men near *Buda*.

Hamburgh, March 26. The endeavors that have been uſed for the compoſing the Differences between the Duke of *Zell* and this City have not as yet had any ſucceſs; The Goods belonging to ſome Merchants of this place that were lately ſeized at *Harbourg* and *Lunenbourg*, have by order of the Duke of *Zell* been ſold there; And theſe Magiſtrates have thereupon publiſhed an Order for the ſecuring the Effects his Highneſs's Subjects have at preſent here. The Troops which the Princes of *Luneburg* ſend